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Applicant:

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Assignee:

Cisco Technology, Inc.

Title:

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Serial No.: Examiner:

Phuc H. Tran

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (11 pages).

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Total Claims		38	Minus	23	=	15	х	\$	18.00	\$	270.00
Independent Claims		4	Minus	3	=	1	х	\$	86.00	\$	86.00
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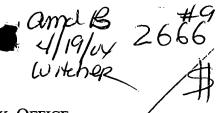
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated January 9, 2004, having a shortened statutory period expiring on April 9, 2004. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

No amendments to the specification or the drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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